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SUBJ: FIRE-BOMBING OF HUROK OFFICE

REF: USUN 308

1. NEW YORK PRESS JAN 27 CARRIED FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON HUROK INCIDENT.

2. CHIEF OF DETECTIVES ALBERT SEEDMAN LATE JAN 26 ANNOUNCED REACTIVATION OF "MAJOR CRIMES SQUAD" HEADED BY DEPUTY CHIEF INSPECTOR THOMAS GLEASON TO FIND THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR FIRE.

3. POLICE COMMISSIONER PATRICK MURPHY AT WIDELY PUBLICIZED NEWS CONFERENCE JAN 26 TERMED DEATH OF HUROK RECEPTIONIST "OUTRIGHT MURDER" AND SAID THAT EVEN IF JDL HAD NO PART IN INCIDENT IT "MUST ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY WHEN VIOLENCE OCCURS" BECAUSE OF VIOLENT RHETORIC IT USES IN DEMONSTRATIONS AND STATEMENTS.

4. JDL NATIONAL VICE CHAIRMAN BERTRAM ZWEIBON REPORTEDLY DEPLORED FIRE-BOMBINGS AND DENIED JDL HAD ANY CONNECTION WITH THEM. ACCORDING TO NEW YORK DAILY NEWS, ZWEIBON SAID JDL HAS "APPLAUDED" VIOLENCE DIRECTED AGAINST SOVIET

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UNION AND ITS PERSONNEL BUT "NEVER EVER FAVORED OR
APPLAUDED VIOLENCE AGAINST THE UNITED STATES, ITS
INSTITUTIONS AND ITS PEOPLE AND WE NEVER WILL."

5. UPI DISPATCH FROM JERUSALEM QUOTES KAHANE AS SAYING
"I KNOW OUR GROUP WOULDN'T DO THIS.... I THINK THE
PEOPLE THAT DID THIS ARE INSANE.... WHAT ELSE CAN
I SAY.

DECONTROL JANUARY 27, 1973.

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